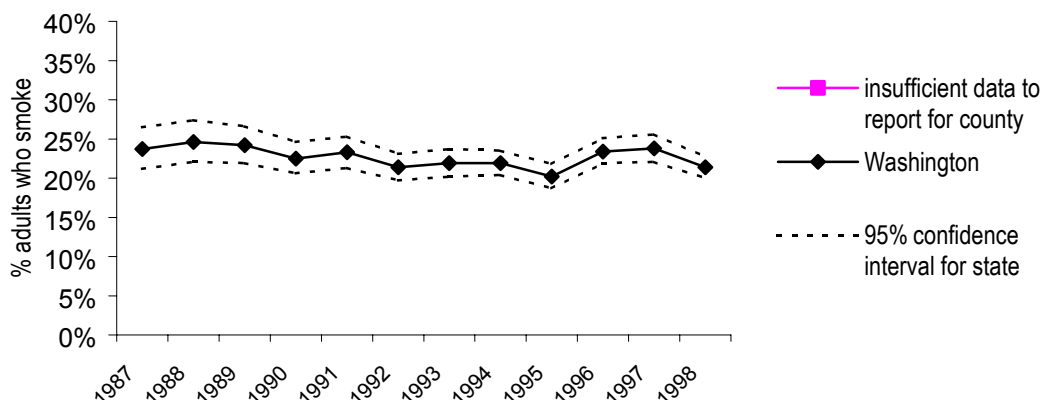


Klickitat County Population = 19,292 (27% under age 18)

## Adult Tobacco Use

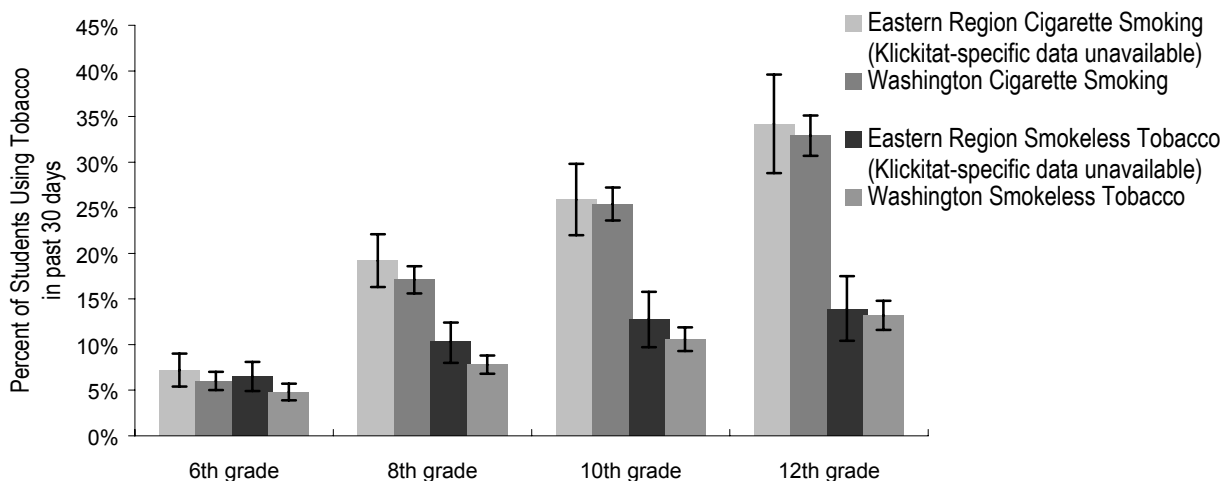
### Current Cigarette Smoking (1987-1998)



### Current Smokeless Tobacco Use (1993-1997)

	Entire adult population data not available	Males only
Klickitat County		
Washington State	2.9% (95%CI:2.5,3.8)	5.7% (95%CI:5.0,6.5)

## Youth Tobacco Use (1998)

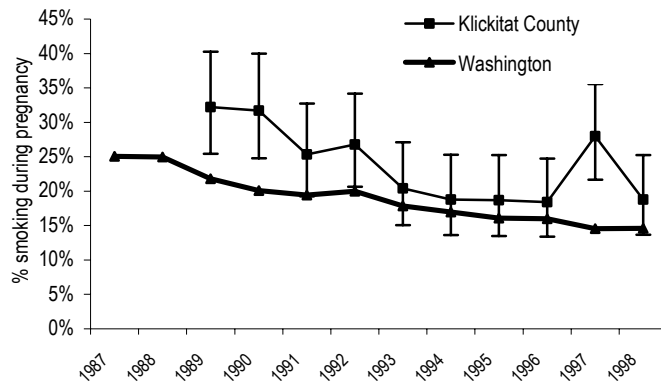


## Summary of the problem

- ☐ More data collection is needed to describe adult tobacco use in Klickitat County.
- ☐ Youth tobacco use for the Eastern Washington region is elevated above the state rate for both cigarettes and smokeless tobacco, among all age groups. More data collection is needed to describe tobacco use among youth in Klickitat County.
- ☐ Maternal smoking during pregnancy is consistently, but not significantly, higher than the state, and exhibits the same declining trend seen throughout the state.
- ☐ Retailer compliance appears worse than the state as a whole. Klickitat County is among the highest-risk counties for sales of tobacco to minors.

**Estimated number of current adult and youth smokers who will die prematurely as a result of tobacco use: 1,200**

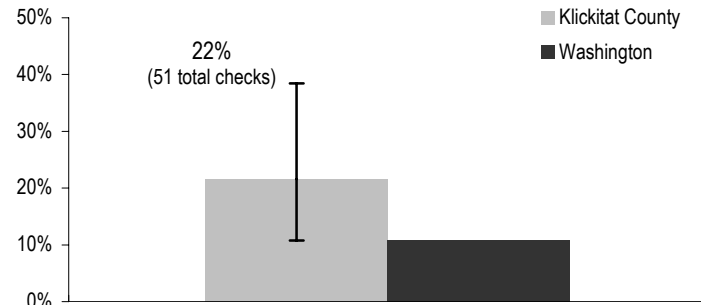
### Smoking During Pregnancy (1987-1998)



Infants born annually to mothers who smoke during pregnancy: 51  
Data not shown where more than 20% of smoking information is missing.

### Minors Access to Tobacco (1998-1999)

Percent Sales to Minors



Number of tobacco retailers in county: 39

### Health at Risk (Estimated numbers for county)

Adults who currently smoke	3,300
Adults who currently use smokeless tobacco	400
Youth who currently smoke	400
Youth who currently use smokeless tobacco	200
ESTIMATED ANNUAL DEATHS DUE TO TOBACCO USE	30

### Current Tobacco Prevention and Control Program Activities

#### Highlights during 1999

- ✓ Worked with local schools and held presentations to education students about tobacco and health effects associated with tobacco use
- ✓ Worked with Board of Health to support and complete compliance checks of retail establishments in Klickitat County
- ✓ Hosted a Tobacco Youth Group for 17 children (ages 9-18 years)

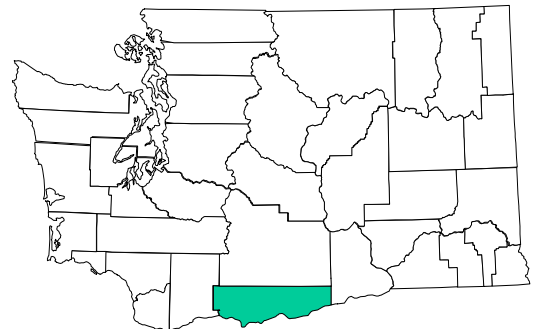
#### Annual Funding for Program (12-month funding amounts, FY 1999)

Source	Amount	Agency receiving funding
Youth Access (Retailer License Fees)	\$ 4,290	Klickitat County Health Department
CDC Grant	\$ 3,750	Klickitat County Health Department
<b>Total Per Capita Funding</b>	<b>\$ .42</b>	CDC Recommended Community Per Capita Funding: \$.70-2.00

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#### TECHNICAL NOTES: (ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTATION IN APPENDIX B)

TOTAL DEATHS DUE TO TOBACCO USE ARE ESTIMATED AS 19% OF ALL DEATHS (MCGINNIS AND FOEGE 1993); "DUMBBELL" BARS AROUND DATA POINTS FOR SURVEY DATA REPRESENT 95% CONFIDENCE INTERVALS – THE TRUE VALUE MAY BE ANYWHERE WITHIN THE BARS, BUT MAY NOT BE EXACTLY AT THE DATA POINT; NUMBER OF ADULTS/YOUTH WHO WILL DIE PREMATURELY FROM TOBACCO USE IS ESTIMATED AS 33% OF CURRENT ADULT SMOKERS (MMWR 1996), AND 21% OF CURRENT YOUTH SMOKERS –WHO MAY 'GROW OUT OF' SMOKING BEHAVIOR (USDHHS 1994); "CURRENT ADULT/YOUTH TOBACCO USERS" ARE SYNTHETIC ESTIMATES BASED ON STATEWIDE AGE-SPECIFIC PREVALENCE; FUNDING LEVELS FOR COUNTIES WERE CALCULATED BASED ON DEDICATED YOUTH TOBACCO PREVENTION FUNDS AND CDC FUNDS MANAGED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH – COUNTIES MAY SUCCESSFULLY SEEK ADDITIONAL FUNDING FOR TOBACCO CONTROL FROM OTHER SOURCES; "HIGHLIGHTS DURING 1999" WERE IDENTIFIED BY LOCAL PROGRAM STAFF; "CDC RECOMMENDED FUNDING" IS BASED ON *BEST PRACTICES FOR TOBACCO CONTROL PROGRAMS* (CDC 1999).

